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sep 1-1y WILLIAM SCOTT, Secretary.

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JOHN TEAGUE,
nov5 td Architect.

OUR FISCAL POLICY.

Mr. Goldwin Smith's Opinion of Free Trade and Protection.

An Able and Instructive Letter from the Canadian Philosopher.

Prof. Goldwin Smith, of Toronto, who spent the past six months in England, returned to the Queen City a few days since. Before leaving England he wrote an able and instructive letter to the editor of the Manchester *Examiner-Times*, from which we make a few extracts. The professor begins by saying that "Canada seems doomed at present to play, in her own despite, the unfortunate part of luring her Mother Country over precipices. In the political sphere she has helped to lead England to the verge of dismemberment through false readings of Canadian experience, both with regard to the external relations of the Dominion to the Imperial Government, and with regard to the internal relations of the several provinces to the Government of the Dominion. And now in the economical sphere she appears in danger, through a false reading of the history and results of her tariff, of decoying the Mother Country back to Protection. 'It is well known,' says Lord Penzance in the last number of the *Nineteenth Century*, 'that in Canada the Protective system has been largely tried of late years, and with great success.' To prove this his lordship quotes a speech of Sir John Macdonald, 'I am largely responsible for the National policy of Canada, a policy which has been, and perhaps is now, severely criticised on this side of the sea, a policy of revenue secured by tariff. There is nothing to show that this policy has in any respect failed in its intention. The balance of advantage has been largely in its favor; indeed, high as party feeling runs in Canada, even the Opposition have ceased to attack the Protective policy, or, as both parties have agreed to style it,

THE NATIONAL POLICY

of our Government. Our policy is to protect such staple industries as are capable of a practically unlimited expansion, and to admit raw material free which cannot be produced at home. When we commenced to tax cotton and woollen goods we were assured that the consumer would be ruined and driven out of the country by high prices. What has been the result? Our manufacturers of cotton and cloth are in a position of increasing prosperity, and to-day the consumer is able to buy his goods more cheaply than when Canada was upon a Free-trade basis. Formerly our industries were at the mercy of the manufacturers of the United States, who recognised that our mills, once closed, were never likely to re-open, and that it was therefore prudent and profitable to sell goods in Canada for a short time even at a loss for the sake of controlling Canadian markets later at their own prices. This was actually being done. We found that the cotton operators of the United States were sending us goods at less than the cost of production, and were collecting the amount of that loss by levying an assessment on their Manufacturers' Association.' Sir John Macdonald is a very able, astute, and experienced politician, who, by his skill in holding together men and interests, has maintained himself in power for an almost unbroken period of forty years. But he is not an economist;

AS A PARTY LEADER

he wanted votes. Votes were offered him by the Manufacturers' Association on condition of his embracing Protection. This we know from the unimpeachable testimony of Mr. W. H. Husband, the president of the Manufacturers' Association, given in a public speech. There was a vague feeling among the people, who were suffering from commercial depression, that the patent medicine of Protection might cure their ailments; but the main agency in bringing about the change of policy was the master-manufacturers' votes. We need not blame either the manufacturers or Sir John Macdonald. Under the party system every interest will try to make its power felt, and a party leader must find support for his Government.

Supposing even that the Protectionist principle were sound, its application by any but a paternal Government would be impossible. Under any other Government interests will get protection, not in proportion to their economical need of it or to the expediency of fostering them, but in proportion to their political strength. The protected interests form a ring, and the Government becomes powerless. It is so in the United States. * * * It need hardly be said that the whole process involves a terrible amount of corruption, from which the Free-trade system is exempt. Though a Free Trader, I am not a purist of Free Trade, and I should see no harm in fostering an infant industry by Protection, provided it were one not artificial but really native to the soil, and were only hindered from growing by blighted competition from abroad. But when the infant grows up it becomes politically strong, and if you tell it to give up its go-cart and walk on its own legs like a man, it at once takes you by the throat.

CANADA A SLAUGHTER-MARKET.

In the case of Canada there was force in the plea that the American manufacturers were making a "slaughter market" of the Dominion, and thereby unfairly disturbing the calculations of Canadian manufacturers and the profits of their trade. I have said that I am not a purist of Free Trade, and I have no objection in principle to retaliation, either for the purpose of constraining other nations to open their ports or for that of doing justice in any way to native producers against the foreigner. But this is an entirely different thing from Protection. Imports are indispensable; they will remain indispensable so long as the world keeps up its armaments, and our practical business at present is to frame tariffs. England has a tariff which interferes to its full extent with freedom of trade. * * To talk of the superiority of Free Trade when it is a question of framing the tariff is like talking of the superiority of a state of innocence when it is a question between two systems of police. And so long as tariffs exist each nation will regulate its own as much as possible in the interest of its native industries, let cosmopolites say what they will. This Free Traders are apt to overlook, and thus to open their flank to their opponents. It is another thing to believe that import duties are in themselves blessings, and that a nation can be made rich by taxation. That belief generally finds harbor in the same minds with the belief that by issuing a quantity of promissory notes and refusing payment you can immeasurably augment the wealth of the world.

THE N. P. A DECIDED FAILURE.

I have not statistics or details at hand, but, in their absence, have watched the Canadian experiment on the spot, I must beg leave to enter a caveat against the assumption of its great success. My own impression, on the contrary, is that it is a decided failure; that it has led to the diversion of capital from its natural and profitable employment to enterprises which are unsuitable to the country, and which have proved disastrous. Ontario has no coal, and to force her to compete in manufactures with Pennsylvania, which has plenty of coal, is palpably absurd, and a manifest misdirection of her resources. That is not all; to reconcile Nova Scotia to the tariff protection had to be given to her coal, and by way of helping Ontario manufactures into existence an import duty on the coal needed for them was imposed. In the new country of the Northwest, where the thermometer falls to 40 degs. below zero, the people were paying a tax on imported coal; while the same beneficent system forced them to go a thousand miles off for lumber for the houses, and the canned provisions which formed an important part of their food, instead of buying in markets close at hand, as well as to pay protective duties on the agricultural machines which were the indispensable means of opening up the country. Canadian artisans, when thrown out of work, go over to the States, to which there is a perpetual outflow of population. That living in Canada has been made cheaper is unfortunately an entire misapprehension. All manufactured articles are far dearer than they are here.

POLITICIANS MUZZLED.

The politicians on both sides are muzzled by fear of the manufacturers' vote; yet Sir Richard Cartwright, who since the death of Sir Francis Hincks is our most eminent economist, continues to protest as loudly as ever. Whether we shall ever get out of the system, having once got into it, is doubtful. The public faith is, to a certain extent, pledged to the manufacturers, who have been induced to invest their capital by the promise of continued protection, and people are naturally afraid that any sudden change of system would bring on a commercial crash. The fear of a crash restrains not a few Free Traders in the United States from voting for a reduction of the tariff. The United States are not a fair example. They are not merely a nation, but a Continent producing almost everything except tea and coffee in itself. Napoleon's continental system is alleged to have been a success. It was a success only because his Empire, uniting a number of nations, constituted a vast internal measure of Free Trade. Still, my conviction, and that of many who are better judges than I am, that the American tariff cripples industry, and that if it were reduced you would in course of time find America a more formidable competitor in the markets of the world.

PROTECTION AND POLITICAL CORRUPTION.

I have mentioned as an evil attaching to the protectionist system the political corruption which it brings in its train. Another is the breeding of the same illusions and false tendencies among the workpeople, who, naturally thinking that what is good for the master must be good for the man, proceed to keep up the price of their labor by closing the labor market and resort to the discouragement of immigration and it all sorts of unionist devices for that purpose. A third is its tendency to beget enmity among nations, and to keep the world in arms. The efficacy of Free Trade as a missionary of peace was no doubt overrated by Free Traders in the first flush of their economical triumph; the angry passions of nations, when excited by supposed wrong or insult, are not controlled by their interests to the extent which these enthusiasts suppose. But there can be no doubt that the tendency of Protectionism is to war. The wars of the last century were, in no small measure, the offspring of the mercantile system. In the United States the special organs of the Protectionists devoted themselves, for an obvious purpose, to cultivating enmity against Great Britain; and if you come across a particularly violent expression of anti-British sentiment, you may be pretty sure that its author wants either the Irish vote or an increase of the duty on pigiron. Should Mr. Blaine, who was the Protectionist as well as the Irish candidate, be again nominated and be successful in the next Presidential election, we are likely to have a spirited foreign policy in the Protectionist as well as in the Irish interests; and possibly some of the surplus revenue which Protectionism finds so inconvenient may be dissipated in an extension of the war navy.

OUR TIMBER ABROAD.

The London *Canadian Gazette* of the 14th ult., in referring to British Columbia timber, says: The tests of Colonial woods made last week at the works of Messrs A. Ransome & Co., Chelsea, certainly did much to bring the superior qualities of some of the timbers of Canada before the notice of those in England interested in their employment. Among the Canadian specimens submitted to this practical test were the Douglas fir and swamp or black ash. Mr. Ransome, in announcing the conclusions at which the experiments had enabled him to arrive, pointed out the suitability of these two classes of Canadian woods, in that they were adaptable to building and joiners' work. The swamp ash was found to be particularly strong, sound, tough and cheap. Professor Macoun, who subsequently spoke, pointed out that English merchants knew so few Canadian timbers simply on account of their natural indisposition to take a new departure from old habits. The Douglas fir of Canada was, he said, fully equal to the white pine now employed, and when the supplies of the latter were exhausted the former would of necessity take its place. The Douglas fir grew in vast quantities, attained a great height, and tapered very gradually. In their black ash, too, the Canadians possessed a species of timber which would some day be very widely employed, for it had all the qualities of the now favorite white ash, and its supply was unlimited. The Douglas fir could be supplied in England at £5 a load, and the black ash at the same price as elm or white pine. Other Canadian varieties tested were butternut, white fir and ironwood, all suitable for various forms of joiner's work.

A company has been formed in Montreal by local and some Chicago capitalists with $500,000 capital to buy out the two abbatoirs lately erected here, and to add to them a meat packing establishment of large proportions. A capitalist who came from the Western States bought the controlling interest in the stock and bonds of the present union company before it became known what he had in view.

THE LORD MAYOR'S SHOW

London's Great Day—Intense Excitement in the Metropolis.

The Imposing Pegeant is Hooted and Hissed—The Socialists.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—Lord Mayor's Day opened gloomy and dark. There are few signs in the city to indicate that this is the day for the Lord Mayor's show. The display of bunting and decorations, usually made on this occasion, is almost generally omitted, and the authorities and populace seem imbued with a sense of oppression. This condition is due to the anxiety for the results of the threatened gathering of Socialists. The police have made all possible arrangements for resisting any attempts at disorder. At an early hour shoals of roughs began to emerge from the slums and take their way towards that section where the socialists have arranged to assemble. Battalions of police proceeding to different points received hearty cheers from the people. The streets in the city in the west end present a remarkable appearance. All the shutters of the shops are drawn and barricaded, and iron railings are boarded with short timbers; banks and other buildings are secured in a similar manner. These precautions are not confined to buildings on the route of the Lord Mayor's procession, but extend to streets far beyond. Police and reserves have been posted at prominent points, and a large military force and all the Household troops are in readiness if their assistance is needed. At 11 o'clock the force proceeded to the north side of Trafalgar Square; shops in the vicinity are closed and doors and windows of all jewelry establishments heavily barred. A hundred students, armed with sticks, have gathered about the Square. A crowd of loafers arrived and were allowed to proceed to the entrance of the Square; there they were met by a double line of police and turned into the Strand. Mounted police cleared the road. The throng at Trafalgar Square is increasing to vast proportions; the police keep admirable order.

A TRIFLING ENCOUNTER

occurred in Trafalgar Square at about noon. The mob, about 8000 strong, marching in a body was halted by the police who then cleared the square and pushed the crowd towards the Thames embankment. There the mob halted and hooted and groaned at the officers. Three hundred red medal students, marching five abreast and armed with bludgeons, proceeded along with the throng to aid the police. The Life Guards in passing through Victoria street were saluted with groans by a small knot of roughs.

Two socialists called upon Sir Charles Warren to-day and requested an answer to their letter of yesterday enquiring if the proposed socialist demonstration had been prohibited. Sir Chas. referred them to his proclamation.

THE PROCESSION

started at the usual hour and proceeded over the designed route without anything happening beyond the usual horse play incident to such an occasion. The police dispersed the medical students and refused to allow them to occupy Trafalgar Square. One thousand policemen were posted on the Square; the Scots Guards were clustered in St. George's barracks behind the National Gallery.

The crowd about Trafalgar Square at 1 o'clock had grown to colossal proportions, the rough element predominating. The police lined the streets converging on the Square; they also surrounded the Square and refused to permit any one to enter. Efforts were made to keep the crowd moving as far as it was possible.

At 1:30 p. m. it was reported that the socialists will attempt to hold a meeting at 3 o'clock. If they do it is certain the police will be ordered to prevent the meeting at any cost.

When the procession passed Trafalgar Square it was met with no demonstration on the part of the crowd, except an unorganized

CHEERING AND HOOTING,

the latter being especially directed at the Lord Mayor. After the show had gone by the mob at once surged over into the Square and soon formed a dense throng about Lord Nelson's monument. A number of men mounted the pedestal at different periods; some of these waved red flags. The Square soon became the scene of excitement. Recognized Socialist leaders managed here and there to gather around groups of men ready and willing to listen to any speech. In this way the vast crowd soon divided into numberless excited groups, each spurred up by its own spokesman and all independently noisy and excited. The police did not attempt to interfere with the rush of the mob into the Square but formed a strong cordon around it. Among the speakers who addressed the groups was

WILLIAMS, THE SOCIALIST.

He declared that the populace would show that they could hold orderly meetings in order to let the public know the amount of distress which at present existed among the workingmen of England. Another speaker said "all the power of the country is invoked to prevent us from assembling. Our reply to all this is that we are here; we want food, work and a dwelling place for all, and we will have them. Resolutions of a proper kind will be adopted, and they will be sent to the Marquis of Salisbury and Lord Randolph Churchill, and they will be compelled to listen to them. The Socialists will continue their work until every vestige of tyranny shall be swept away. Our organization is only one which dares to take up the proper position in behalf of

THE POOR AND THE OPPRESSED.

We are here to agitate in a peaceful manner for work for all, and for over-work for none."

Resolutions, asking the government to provide work for the unemployed and to reduce to eight, the number of hours constituting a day's work, were carried amidst loud cheering, and the groups which adopted them, and which had by this time absorbed nearly all the multitude remaining in the Square, dispersed, well pleased with the cheering; promises of social revolutions. Most of the people who had composed this audience at once went away; others loitered about and joined various throngs. A number of anti-socialists attempted to hold

A COUNTER DEMONSTRATION

in Trafalgar Square. They were attacked and roughly handled by their opponents and driven from the scene. The police and Life Guards interfered and cleared the Square. The work was not difficult and but one arrest was made. A section of the crowd went from the Square to the residence of the Marquis of Salisbury and attempted to make a demonstration but were dispersed by the police.

THE PRESS ON ARCHER.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—The newspapers publish articles deploring the untimely end of Fred. Archer, the jockey. The *Times* says: His pitiful death will cause a shock of pain even to the most callous among the multitude, among whom it is to be feared the gambling passion has almost extinguished feelings.

Sporting Life says: Words fail to express our deep regret at the death of the world's famed Jockey Archer. We are certain this feeling will find an echo in the hearts of men not only in this country but also others, where his name was a household word wherever the English language is spoken. Archer is a familiar word.

The Prince of Wales has sent a telegram of condolence to the dead jockey's sister.

CREMATING CALGARY.

An Incendiary Fire Destroys $100,000 Worth of Property.

CALGARY, Nov. 8.—A fire broke out here on Sunday morning about 5 o'clock in the heart of the town, which destroyed upwards of one hundred thousand dollars worth of property. It commenced between the Massy Mfg. Co.'s building, and Parrish & Sons store, on McTavish street, and spread with terrible rapidity in all directions. In an hour's time Baker & Co.'s stores, Chipman Bros., Pollman's saloon, and the Massy Mfg. Co., on McTavish street, were in ruins. On Atlantic avenue, opposite the C. P. R. depot, the fire made a clear sweep from the Mountain View House to Freeze's store, taking in the Athletic, Sherman, and Union hotels, Parrish & Sons new store and twenty or thirty other buildings.

J. G. Baker & Co. is the only extensive loser. Their loss is $50,000, but most of the others lose everything. Baker & Co. were insured for $15,000 in different companies. At 6 p. m. another fire was discovered in a barn filled with hay adjacent to where the fire was stopped in the morning at the eastern end, and it was only after the most superhuman efforts that it was stopped. It is almost certain that this barn was wilfully fired, and it gives color to the belief that the morning fire was also incendiary. Public indignation runs high. Mayor King, in addressing the crowd, said: "Citizens of Calgary, and especially those of you who have the well being of this town at heart, I call upon you to come out and protect our town from the torch of the incendiary by patrolling the streets during the night, and if you detect any man or Indian setting fire to any place I hand him over to you to do with him as you like." Some parties were arrested on suspicion to-day but released for want of evidence.

MURDEROUS GREASERS.

A Subject Fit for the U. S. Government—Brutality to Cutting Outdone by Greasers in the South.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Nov. 9.—Hewett Griner, one of the most extensive ranchmen in Western Texas, was killed last night at Los Vicecs, Mexico, just across the river from Del Rio, Texas. Griner lived with his family at Waldo, and had gone over into Mexico with several employes to see about the condition of the stock on a ranch he owns there. Some time ago he had a difficulty with some Mexicans living adjoining to his hacienda, and the natives at that time threatened to kill him if he ever again appeared in their midst. Yesterday the Americans were attacked by Mexicans, and a pitched battle ensued, Griner's body being riddled with bullets and one of his men also killed. B. P. McMahon, who was one of Griner's party, succeeded in killing one Mexican, and the surviving Americans then made their escape to this side of the river under a volley of bullets from the Winchesters of the Mexicans. Americans along the river are greatly incensed, and declare they will have revenge.

JAMAICA'S SUGAR TRADE.

PANAMA, Nov. 3.—Advices from Jamaica say the decay of this colony which was once called the brightest jewel in the British Crown may be gathered from the following figures, which show how the great staple of the country (sugar) has declined in cultivation during the periods named: The number estimated were in 1832, 653; 1847, 513; 218 in 1879 and 189 in 1884. In reference to this decline and the general depression prevailing the legislative council passed resolutions that the Island should be permitted to make arrangements with the United States or Canada on the basis of reciprocity, in order that the sugar products, now so seriously affected by the bounty system in the English market, may find a more favorable outlet nearer home.

THE CHICAGO STRIKE.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—About three thousand men reported for work at the stock yards this morning. Everything is quiet and no disturbance of any kind has been reported to-day. Soldiers started on their rounds at 5 o'clock, and patroled the entire district. Most of the men who came to the yards were brought in by trains. There were no assaults on them as far as known.

POINT IT OUT.

To THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Writers in the city press—Dr. Helmcken, Senator Macdonald and others—have hinted at the "benefit" the white man has been to the Indian population of British Columbia. If we are to consider those so-called "benefits" from the standpoint of the Indian rather from that of the white man, it would be interesting to students of American history if these gentlemen would describe at some length the "benefits" conferred upon the red man. It is quite true some trifling good has been accomplished, but the evil far out-weighs it, and hence the resultant effect cannot be beneficial as a whole. Is it possible that any intelligent white man can believe that a race which is rapidly melting away in consequence of licentiousness and fire water of the whites is being "benefitted"? This is a question, of course, apart from and far greater importance than the local controversy at Metlakahtla, and for the information of others probably Dr. Tolmie, or either of the gentlemen named, will explain what those "benefits" are. POCAHONTAS.

Despite the reports that the elections will not take place this fall, C. H. Mackintosh, M. P., for Ottawa, has commenced a canvass among his supporters.

CAPITAL AND LABOR.

The Chicago Strikes—Two Regiments of Soldiers Ordered Out—No Casualties Yet

CHICAGO, Nov. 8.—At 10 o'clock this morning the First and Second regiments marched from their armory to the Lake Shore station and from there they will at once be transported to the stock yards. There has been no serious disturbance at the yards yet, but the assaults on non-union men are growing more frequent. As the morning progressed the crowds surrounding the entrances to the yards increased. The strikers became more obstinate, and the deputy sheriffs found a greater difficulty in dispersing them. Armour & Co. had about 150 of their old men, who had refused to strike, at work killing hogs; but this was the only hog house in the yards running. Knight of Labor Barry said he had not yet been able to get all the facts in regard to the strike, and did not know what action he would take. He proposed, however, to have a talk with the packers during the day, and hoped soon to bring about an amicable settlement. About 11 o'clock the crowd at the yards got more turbulent and assaults on the non-union men became more frequent. One man who was on his way to Fowler's packing house was intercepted while walking over the viaduct which leads to the house. Three or four men picked him up and threw him over on to the ground below, a distance of over thirty feet. He was very badly injured.

A MYSTERIOUS ROBBERY.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 9.—The *Globe-Democrat* of this morning prints a letter dated St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 31st, and signed Jim Cummings, which purports to give the full history of the robbery of the Adams' Express car on the St. Louis and San Francisco railway on the night of Oct. 25, when between $80,000 and $100,000 in currency was taken. The letter was received by the editor of the *Globe-Democrat* last Tuesday. It enclosed two express money envelopes from one of which $30,000 had been abstracted and from the other $12,000; also a memorandum of the cashier of the Continental Bank notifying the American National Bank of Kansas City that $30,000 was enclosed. The envelopes and memorandum have been fully identified as those taken in the robbery. The sender of the letter gives as his reason for writing that he wants to clear Frothingham, the express messenger, from suspicion which is now attached to him. The letter gives full details of the robbery and asserts Frothingham was taken completely by surprise and was no party in it; the letter also stated that the robbers had a boat with which together with their camping outfit, two guns and a box of provisions they had secreted near the bridge at St. Charles, Mo., and also a package containing a revolver which had been left at the check stand at the Union depot in this city on the day of the robbery. Notwithstanding all this the detectives regard the letter as a blind and do not in the least abate their vigilant guard over Frothingham. It is stated on pretty good authority that the Grand Jury yesterday found indictments against Frothingham, "Jim Cummings" and two others, whose names are not given, for complicity in the robbery.

About ten o'clock this morning one of Pinkerton's detectives placed Frothingham in a carriage at the Southern hotel and told him he was about to be taken to the Circuit Court, where his *habeas corpus* case was to be tried. The detective was evidently under instructions to consume as much time as possible in conveying the messenger. When the carriage arrived at the Circuit Court, the Deputy Sheriff served a warrant on the prisoner and he was then taken to the four courts, where he was locked up. A short time afterwards the grand jury returned an indictment against him, charging him with grand larceny and with receiving stolen property. Two others indictments were returned, one against Jim Cummings and one against Richard Roe.

THE FOUNDERED VESSEL.

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 7.—James Smith, proprietor of the hotel on the south end of the eastern shore, 7 or 8 miles from the point where the vessel sank, says when he first saw her she was on her side shipping seas and finally keeled over and went down in a few minutes from the time he first noticed the vessel. The tug Alert of this port went down the harbor about 11 o'clock this morning but on account of heavy seas and wind could not go outside. She saw nothing in the way of wreckage. When the Manhattan sank the tide was setting full out into the Sound and whatever wreckage there may have been would have gone out to sea. Late this evening pilot bread, pieces of boards varnished on one side that may have been broken from officers cabin, oil cans and some miscellaneous articles, floated ashore with the incoming tide. Nothing is known here of the Manhattan's business. She is described as being of schooner rigged with a length of eighty or ninety feet.

THE COLOR LINE OBLITERATED.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 8.—A special from Little Rock says the color line came very prominently to the front in this city yesterday. The colored person is Willis McNoir, a coal black negro, and for years past a barber in Little Rock. He was serving on the grand jury and when the jury went to J. W. Knott's restaurant for breakfast the proprietor refused to admit the negro to the dining room. The Capital Hotel restaurant also refused his admittance. When the facts were reported to Judge Caldwell, he made a speech from the bench to the effect that the jurors were officers of the law and could not be separated. They were sent back and the U. S. Marshal instructed to accompany them and report to the court. Mr. Knott refused to admit the negro; the Capital restaurant, however, admitted them in a body and for the first time a negro enjoyed his repast at the leading hotel of the State. The proceeding caused no little comment.

MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 7.—A special from Omaha says: At the North Platte on Friday night, after a week's trial Jeff Long was convicted of murder in the first degree for killing the old man Bascom and his wife, on their homestead claim last spring. Bascom and his wife were found burned to death in the ruins. The burning of the house and their death was a mystery until the discovery of their bodies in the ruins. Long had some trouble with them about land, and after a careful investigation resulted in Long's arrest and conviction.

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PREMIER MOWAT'S LETTER.

The open letter of the Hon. OLIVER MOWAT, on the relations of the Ontario government towards the Roman Catholics of that province, addressed by the premier to the Rev. G. M. MILLIGAN, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Toronto, has been briefly referred to in these columns, as an open, frank and manly statement which ought to set at rest any fears entertained by those who are haunted by the bogey of Papal aggression. Mr. MOWAT writes as the Presbyterian premier of Ontario, to the Rev. Mr. MILLIGAN as a pastor in that influential church, and answers all the favorite charges of undue influence in the councils of the province exercised by Roman Catholics. The series of charges pertaining to the management of the Central Prison and Warden MASSIE, and the respective treatment of Protestant and Roman Catholic inmates in that institution are met and effectually answered. The support accorded by Roman Catholics in Ontario to the Liberal party is, he candidly admits, growing, but he claims that growth upon grounds which are creditable alike to the Liberal party and to Roman Catholics. The latter are being driven out of the Conservative ranks by the dominance of the Orange element and are returning to the Liberal political party to which they formerly belonged, and from which many of them have been estranged through exceptional causes since the Hon. GEO. BROWN rode the protestant horse in the memorable contest or 1857. The Irish Catholics in the Mother Land usually belonged to the Liberal party until they formed the separate Home Rule party. It is therefore natural that in Canada their political leanings should be towards the Liberals. Coming to the question of patronage he shows by a brief series of statistics that the Roman Catholics have not received an undue proportion of appointments, and that among the better class of appointments their representatives are less numerous than might be expected. In this connection we might add that the Presbyterians of Ireland recently complained to the lord lieutenant of Ireland, that Presbyterians received a less proportion of appointments in the public service than they were entitled to, and that the viceroy promised to consider the matter. This circumstance is mentioned to show that minorities—whether Presbyterian, Protestant or Catholic—are very apt to jealously demand their full share of representation in public offices. In the province of Quebec we know well that the two political parties are always squabbling as to which treats the Protestant minority with the most liberality in the matter of representation and appointments. Therefore, it is clear to our mind that the demands for Irish Catholic representation in our own province, which some Protestants profess to regard as so obnoxious, and which are always seized by them as the opportunity for laying down lofty axioms as to merit or fitness and not race or creed forming the true basis for public appointments, are really only the counterpart of those which are advanced by all minorities whether of race or of creed in other countries. In this nineteenth century we should be more broadly liberal in our views in the matter of creed and race cries and not be swayed by petty prejudices based upon either of these. The curious effect of this Roman Catholic domination business is this, that so long as that body throughout the Dominion was in affinity with the Conservative party all was serene and happy. A change having taken place in the political convictions of this great body, they are soundly abused and "confederation must be smashed" rather than that by their coalescing with the Liberals that party should assume control of the reins of power in Canada. Ontario affords a fair illustration of the manner in which the affairs of the Dominion, irrespective of section, creed or color, will be administered when that eagerly-looked-for event does take place. A year ago the Conservative hounds were in full chorus in villifying Warden MASSIE for his alleged ill treatment of Catholics convicted and sent to the Central prison. He was acquitted, and that honorably, by a committee appointed by the Ontario Assembly. Then the whole fry from one end of the Dominion to the other reversed the matter, and now they cry out about Romish ascendancy. This has become particularly acute since the Quebec elections. We should imagine it very unlikely that the Liberals of Ontario or anywhere else should be deceived by this dodge of the Conservative journals. While they are trying to excite a religious and sectional cry in Ontario, calling upon Conservatives to unite against the Catholics and the French, the Conservative journal *La Minerve* calls upon the Quebec French Conservatives to unite against the English. It is all unite, provided the union is to support Sir JOHN MACDONALD. Of course the cry against Mr. MOWAT was one little effort in the general direction, and by attempting to make out that a Presbyterian was being persecuted at the instigation of Archbishop LYNCH, to take from the Liberal party as many Liberal votes as possible. As a matter of fact, however, Mr. MOWAT has retained the Presbyterian Warden; the Archbishop, contrary to the asseverations of the Conservative press, has never even suggested his removal, and the whole thing turns out to be a bugaboo.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

THE *Mail* continues to show its political independence by urging the Reformers of Ontario to leave their party and come to the rescue of Sir JOHN MACDONALD, because the Quebec Bleus who have kept Sir JOHN in power for many years, and helped him to gerrymander and plunder this province, will not support him any longer. "'Will you walk into my parlor,' said the spider to the fly."

SOME years ago most of the orchestral parts were accidentally discovered at Dresden of a lost symphony by WAGNER. From those parts the lost score was reconstructed, and the work has been several times publicly performed. WILHELM TAPPERT announces in the latest number of the *Musikalische Wochenblatt* that the draft of a symphony in E major, by WAGNER, has been found in the Wahnfried archives at Bayreuth. It was composed in 1834, at a time when he was musical director at Magdeburg.

STATISTICIANS bring out some curious facts with regard to the birth and death rates of the leading nations of the world. In England and Wales it has been found that the birth-rate is 35.4, and the death-rate 20.5 per 1000 persons. In Sweden the birth-rate is 30.2 against a death-rate of 18.1. In the German Empire, birth-rate 39.3 and death-rate 26.1. Austria, 39.1 birth-rate, 29.6 death-rate. The official returns state that in the United States the annual birth-rate is 36 and death rate 18, but the *Record* thinks the American birth-rate is much larger. The increase of the U. S. is 10,000,000 since the last census was taken in 1880.

THE total outlay of the British Treasury has increased in these last thirty-eight years from $137,500,000 to $307,500,000, and yet, with the exception of the new departments of education and telegraph, the matter of which ought to be self-supporting, there is really nothing to show why this enormous increase should have taken place. The army and navy estimates have risen from $85,775,000 to $156,130,000; the civil estimates from $32,320,000 to $9[illegible]855,000; while the charges for revenue collection have gone up from $19,815,000 to $52,770,000. There is scarcely an excuse for all this increase, far less any justification. The tendency, it would seem, is very strong in Britain, as it is everywhere, to create needless offices, and therein to pension and provide for either useless relatives or needy supporters. The Queen and her family cost over $4,000,000—the Queen getting $1,825,000, and the rest of the family $2,565,000. Churchill's inquiry and exposure are all very well, but will they lead to retrenchment and reform?

A recent number of the *Japan Weekly Mail* contains a short account of a night ascent of the active volcano Asamayama. The party left Karnisawa in the afternoon and commenced the ascent from the eastern side about sunset. The sky was perfectly clear, and the summit was reached an hour before midnight. The wind, blowing from the south, carried the sulphurous vapor away to the northwards, and thus the ascent was made less uncomfortable. The party saw quite to the bottom of the crater, which presented the appearance of a furnace filled with glowing coals. The sound of the roaring, hissing and bubbling is described as loud and awful. The walls of the crater are of a light-brown color, and are composed of successive layers marked out with striking regularity, like the seats in an amphitheatre. Allowing ten of these layers to each interval of twenty feet, the depth from the surface to the incandescent matter would appear to be 200 feet. The periphery of the crater is about half a mile, although the Japanese calculate it at two miles and a half.

THE important position which the Canadian Pacific Railway has reached in the estimation of leading statesmen and thinkers in Great Britain must be gratifying to every Canadian. Quite recently Capt. Edward PALLISER announced that through the construction of this transcontinental highway the "actual theatre of war" in Europe had been changed, and now two prominent gentlemen have confirmed that view. In a letter to the *Pall Mall Gazette*, Mr. J. DREW GRAY, under the heading of "Turkey as a Broken Reed," asks "whether the whole Eastern aspect has not been changed by an event which has happened lately—namely, the completion of the great railway line across the Dominion of Canada." This query follows on a discussion of the question of Russian encroachment on British possessions in India. The second corroborator is Sir Heny W. GORDON, who points out that his brother had always extended a hearty support to a scheme having for object the establishment of adequate coaling depots at important points on the coasts of the empire. These recommendations, he adds, are considerably strengthened by the opening of the Canadian Pacific railway affording a direct route for England to China and the Pacific, independently of the Suez Canal.

SHOULD the receipt of Dominion revenue be as great in the last nine as in the first three months of the current fiscal year, a repetition of the deficit of last year need not be feared. The surplus for the first quarter was no less than two millions and a qurrter. Predictions are made that, at the end of the fiscal year, the surplus will not be below, but probably above these figures.

THE Boston *Herald* reverts to the fisheries question, and discusses England's perplexities both in America and on the English coast, the latter difficulty being signalized by the recent trouble between English and French fishermen. It is apparent from many of the references of the American papers to the Canadian dispute that they look more to England for a settlement than to this county. They may find, we imagine, that the principal in the matter is Canada, and that our Government are not the mere puppets of the Downing street authorities. However passing over the point, the fact is admitted by the Boston *Herald* that English fishermen are at a disadvantage with French fishermen owing to a tax on the sales of the former in French ports. In looking after the interests of her subjects at home and abroad, therefore, England can hardly be expected to consider either French or American convenience when the demands of both are distinctly opposed to British interests. An international treaty may be a necessity owing to these complications, but we fail to see that the Americans can extract other than cold comfort from them.

THE French, ever since the late war with the Chinese, have been intriguing for special commercial privileges on the Southern frontier of that country, with the results so far that two additional trading marts have been established. One of these is to be behind Langson, and the other behind Laokai, and from and through these two frontier trading marts France contemplates diverting trade from the two Southern provinces of Quangai and Yunnan which have been tributary to Quangtung province, and to Canton as the chief market and port, as well as financial centre of the south. It is also noted that the treaty, besides giving France the opportunity to tap the Southern provinces of China, also permits and stipulates that their Chinese customs tariff shall be more favorable or lower than at the treaty ports of the coast. Whether France will succeed in diverting trade through Tonquin and away from Chinese routes, time only can determine; but the fact that she has been able to obtain such a concession at all, at all time when the feeling in China is so strongly anti-French, is a proof of her growing influence in that country, and at the same time of a disposition to make that influence tell in favor of her merchants and manufacturers.

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CHAPTER XVII.

HOME AGAIN.

She walked slowly down the hot and dusty road toward the town. Now, far more keenly than before her visit to the schoolhouse, did she feel the bitterness of her trouble.

Along the dusty road she went—the high crops motionless on either hand, the land around (in sheen of silver barley and yellow wheat, and the lustrous green of meadow grass) trembling in the steam of the sweltering earth—and felt a homeless woman, unloved, and sinful, too.

She came at last to the shadow of the wayside trees under which she had met Cuthbert; and here, with no eye to see her, and passionate memories crowding piteous misery into her aching heart, she stopped and flung herself upon the grass, and tried to relieve her burning eyes with tears.

A long while she lingered here, dreading to return home.

Time passed rapidly and unheeded, and the shadows of the trees had grown well into the road when she rose to her feet, disturbed by the town clock striking the half-hour after three. The thought of meeting her father was almost unbearable; yet home she must go, for where was other shelter for her!

Before this time her fear of the deacon was in his anger, when he should learn that she had deceived him by her secret marriage. Nothing more had her innocence then to dread; though enough had been here to furnish her with dismal contemplation and trembling apprehension, and an insupportable yearning for the permanent companionship of her husband, that discovery might never catch her without the prop of his love and presence at hand for her weakness. But now her husband was gone, and, by going, had left her exposed to dreadful suspicion. He was gone, and she was left alone to justify her purity, to encounter the wrath of her father, stirred to his deepest heart by infamous doubt.

What, then, was she to do! for when she fell to consider how she should prove her marriage, she found another blank as maddeningly perplexing as Cuthbert's disappearance.

She well remembered the marriage morn; how, with a faint voice and pale face, she told aunt Rachel she was going for a walk, and bade her not be surprised if she delayed her return, for she loved the pretty scenery around, and to linger among the trees.

She well remembered the beating of her heart when, at the bottom of the deep and shady lane, she beheld Cuthbert waiting for her, and how she had nearly swooned when he hailed the passing coach to Southwark, and handed her into it.

Likewise she well remembered how they had emerged into a crowded street, along which he had hurried her into another street, where he called a hackney carriage, and they were driven down interminable streets at which she never glanced, for her white face was hidden on Cuthbert's shoulder, and she had needed all the cordial of his constant, passionate, reassuring whispers to save her from fainting.

And how at last the carriage stopped before a church—a gloomy, heavy, city edifice—so that it seemed to her that they had to grope their way along the avenue of high pews to the altar-railing, where speedily a thin voice read the service that made her the wife of the man at her side.

The acted portion of it all was a vague memory; her love for the man who had induced her to secretly wed him was only reality.

Four o'clock was chiming when she reached home. Long before this had Mrs. Strangfield grown weary of watching at the window, and with deep anxiety had gone back to seek the girl in the town. Polly was singing in the kitchen as she scrubbed the floor, so that Mr. Strangfield in the parlor did not hear Jenny enter, nor her light footstep as she went upstairs.

At her bedroom door she halted, with such a shock of surprise and consternation as the sight of a dead man might have produced on her; for all about the window the floor was littered with her husband's sacred letters, heedlessly tossed and lying open, with their ribbon-bindings among them.

She well knew whose hand had done this, and, recovering herself, entered the room, closed the door and removed her hat, moving softly, and all the while looking at the letters.

This done, she knelt down and gathered together the precious missives, pressing them often to her pale lips, and narrowly inspecting the carpets for bits of the dry forget-me-nots and other fragments of flowers which had fallen from the letters under Strangfield's angry handling of them.

Scarcely had she replaced the papers in her desk when she heard her father's steps on the stairs. He entered his bedroom, but speedily emerged, being struck, perhaps, to find Jenny's door closed.

He turned the handle sharply and exclaimed:

"Ah, you be here, then? Your mother has gone to look for you. You are well practiced in treading softly. Where have you been?"

"I have been to the schoolhouse to seek my husband," she answered, returning his stern gaze with a look of despairing resolution.

"And you have not found him?"

"No, father, no!" she replied, with a shriek in her voice.

"If he be your husband, why has he left you?" he said, speaking as a judge might in preface to condemning a man to death.

She shook her head and locked her twitching fingers, no longer meeting his eyes, for the bitterness in them was insupportable.

He approached the bed and leaned heavily upon the frame of it.

"Woman! in my heart you are condemned for treachery to me and your mother. Yet I have said to myself, in the words of the Preacher, 'Be not hasty in thy spirit to be angry!' and now, if you find me so, you shall rebuke me. Jenny, for what you have this day told your mother, I hate my own flesh that you should be a part of it. Yet I will be merciful. You shall prove to me that you sin is not the dishonor of your parent's name, nor the destruction of your soul in the eyes of Almighty God. Do you heed me? You shall prove this."

She made no answer.

"Speak!" he cried. "Show me how this may be done."

She looked at him with terrified eyes, for no courage that she had could combat her instinctive fear of him. He waited for her reply.

"Tell me what I am to do, father! indeed, I will obey you. I am truly his wife. God, who hears me, knows that I am not speaking falsely. With this ring he wedded me, father."

And with trembling hand she sought in her pocket for her purse.

"Nay, nay, I have no wish to see it. Such a matter signifies nothing. Better tricks than such tokens cannot fool old eyes. Tell me where you were married."

"In London, father."

"Ay, in London. At what church?"

"I do not know the name; it has slipped my memory. Or my husband never mentioned it," she replied, with an expression on her face that should have told her father to press her no further.

"By whom were you married?"

"I did not see—I was frightened. The church was dark, and I did not lift my eyes, and we were but a moment signing our names."

A sort of savage incredulity—the skepticism of a man stirred to the most hidden and deadly forces of his nature—shot into his face. He glared at her for some moments in silence, and then, in a voice that, for the hollowness of it, sounded as though it rose from under his feet, said:

"It is as I before said—you remember nothing. But their wedding is a thing all women remember; and it is strange you should so soon forget yours, when your mother will tell you everything that befell on her wedding day, twenty-three years ago. Would you know the church if you saw it?"

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THEY GOT THEIR JOINTS MIXED.

Once I caught two joint snakes, one larger than the other, and taking out one joint from the largest snake turned him loose. He at once hooked himself together and started off, but soon found that something was wrong, stopped and seemed to be counting his joints. In a little while he made up his mind that he was short one joint and seeing the other snake lying near in the grass made a rush for him, and coiling himself around the middle of his body he soon unhooked a section, and then unhooking himself just where I had taken out a joint proceeded to put in the joint he had robbed his companion of. It did not fit very well, being too small, and while he was trying to make it work easy I gave his joint to the other smaller snake, who at once hooked it in the place of his missing joint.

By this time the big snake happened to crawl along by the side of the other, and he at once saw that he had one joint bigger than the rest; going up close and examining it carefully he proceeded to take it out, and, after removing the little snake's joint, put his own back in its proper place. Then he took the little snake's joint and laid it down close to the other snake, and by various winning ways coaxed him to hook it on, which he having done they both moved off. I might go on and give you dozens of other instances of the intelligence of this interesting snake, but will content myself with one which happened on the 4th of July.

HUNTING FOR A LOST JOINT.

I had been cutting wheat with a binder, and the ground being wet in one part of the field the horses had sunk down to their fetlocks in the soil, and it being a heavy clay the tracks they left were just like so many clean-cut holes, with the sides perfectly smooth and about eight inches deep. A joint-snake by some means had dropped his middle joint down one of these holes and as it was too deep for him to reach down and get it with his mouth, being a very small snake, he seemed to be considerably worried about his loss. I stood watching him to see what the result would be. He crawled about among the stubble awhile, and seemed to be hunting for something; presently he appeared to find what he wanted, for he began to gnaw at a small smooth straw about a foot long. In seventy-two seconds he had separated it from its root, and I noticed he had left one small piece of root attached to the straw, which was turned up now slightly, making a sort of hook. Bringing this straw to the hole where his lost joint was he carefully let it down in it, and after a little maneuvering got the hook of the straw in the eye of his joint, then pulling it up with his head as far as he could reach, and holding what he gained with his tail, he soon had his joint in his mouth and then in its place.

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" 9:50	SHAWNIG'N LAKE	" 3:10
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" 10:25	KOKSILAH	" 2:35
" 10:30	DUNCAN'S	" 2:30
" 10:40	SOMENOS	" 2:20
Ar. 11:02	CHEMAINUS	" 1:58
" 12:00	NANAIMO	De. 1:00 P. M.

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Victoria, Tuesday, Nov. 9, 1886.

DIED.

MAGIRL.—In this city, on the 9th inst., Robert Magirl, a native of County Down, Ireland, aged 56 years.

☞ The funeral will take place on Thursday next, at 8:45 a. m., from his late residence, Quadra street, and at 9 o'clock from St. Andrew's Cathedral, View street. Friends are invited to attend.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—The Portland flour has taken the medal every year since its existence. *

—Ask your grocer for the Portland Roller flour. *

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—A Brockville butter dealer has shipped thirty-five packages of butter direct over C. P. R. to this city.

—Bavaria beer, five cents per glass, at the Royal Hotel, cor. Fort & Douglas streets. *

—All first class dealers and grocers keep the Portland Roller flour. Buy no other. *

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St.

—Another marriage, this time between two thorough Victorians, is on the *tapis*. The contracting parties have a host of friends.

—The B. C. Stationery & Printing Co. have commenced moving into their new premises in Mr. W. Heathorn's building.

—Mr. W. H. Mason has returned to the city and will resume business at the old stand corner Trounce Alley and Broad street. *

—In addition to the iron for the railway brought from San Francisco by the Barnard Castle, she has a consignment of 100 tons of iron for the mines of Messrs. Dunsmuir & Son, at Wellington.

—The Portland Roller Mills flour was awarded the first gold medal at the Mechanics Fair, October 16th, at Portland, Oregon, for superiority against all other Oregon flours. *

—Those who wish to send their photos to the "old country" in time for Xmas, would do well to sit now and avoid the Xmas rush. HALL & LOWE, Photographers, Government St. *

—GOODWIN & JORDAN, piano manufacturers, tuning and repairing. FACTORY CORMORANT street, between Douglas and Blanchard. First class work only. Telephone 98; P. O. box 422. *

—The "Noisy Boys," who are they anyhow? To whom do they belong, and from whence came they? That is now the problem. Look out for its solution in a few days.

—At the meeting of the Montreal hunt on Saturday the 30th ult., amongst others present were His Worship Mayor Fell and Mr. D. W. Higgins, M. P. P., editor of the Victoria, B. C., *Colonist*.

—F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers, and Financial Agents, Vancouver, B. C., attend promptly to all enquiries about the terminal city; *Free Reading Room* for use of strangers arriving in Vancouver. *

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—Owing to the efficient management of the Northern Pacific railway, Messrs. Neufelder & Ross to-day received the first fruits of the season direct from the Levant; eight days from St. Paul and only thirty days from Liverpool.

—The auction sale of Mr. A. Cowan's effects to-day at his residence, Fort street, attracted a large crowd of buyers. Prices realized were satisfactory. The sale was ably conducted by Mr. Joshua Davies, auctioneer.

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B. C. have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References. *

—There will be a meeting of the Board of Trade to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the office of the Board, Bank of British Columbia building. This is an adjournment of the quarterly meeting and as important business is to be transacted a full meeting is expected.

—Visitor (at one of our Indian schools) —"So all these children are Indians?" Teacher—"Yes. Many of them are sons and daughters of great chiefs." Visitor —"What are they now doing?" Teacher —"This is the arithmetic hour and they are doing sums." Visitor—"Ah, yes; I have often heard of Indian summers."

—A man is reported to have been killed at Roger's Pass while walking on a double track. He saw a train coming towards him on the track on which he was walking. To avoid it he stepped on to the other track, and failing to see another train which was behind him on the latter, he was struck, run over and cut in two.

—The Concordia is drawing poor houses at present. The management are at fault in keeping a thread-bare company of artists, who, by the way, have had a little dissension amongst themselves. The people of Nanaimo and the mainland would like to see a good show once in a while, but are averse to barn-storming combinations at any time.

—Application will be made to parliament for an Act authorizing the Northwest Coal and Navigation Company to extend their railway from Lethbridge to the United States boundary, going through the most available pass of the Rockies in British Columbia; also for the construction of another branch from Lethbridge to connect with a railway to Fort Benton, Montana.

The *Manitoban* states that two Winnipeg firms, in addition to the trade done by the butchers are about to commence operations in hog packing and intend to slaughter during the season 2,400 and 3,000 head respectively. It seems that the supply needed by the butchers averaged about 250 head per week during the summer and much more for the winter.

One boy in Springfield, Mass., is so bright that he has got into the newspapers. The brightness consisted in asking his school teacher how far a procession of the Presidents of the United States would reach if they were placed in a row. When she gave it up he answered: "From Washington to Cleveland."

SUDDEN DEATH.

Another well known citizen and early pioneer, Robert Magirl, died suddenly at his residence on Quadra street, in this city this morning at 9 o'clock. Deceased came to British Columbia from Crawford county, Pennsylvania, in 1858, but was born in Ireland. In that year he kept a hotel at Boston Bar, and afterwards was a member of the firm of Beedy & Co., trading at Antler Creek, Quesnelle, and other mining camps. Securing several shares in an unproductive mining claim, in liquidation of a debt, he subsequently became rich through a fortunate strike, and is reported to have made about $75,000 or $80,000 before the mine was exhausted. In 1864 he imported cattle from Oregon, and at a later period again engaged in mining and sleighing in the interior. About three years ago he entered into partnership with Mr. E. C. Johnson, in the Bay tannery. He leaves one son and two daughters. Deceased has been unwell for some time but was not confined to the house. His death was due to a general breaking up of the system and was probably accelerated by an affection of the heart.

WILL CONTEST THE BY-LAW.

Early this forenoon one of the city cabmen took up a position on the centre of Government street, opposite Kurtz's, and remained there until he found a customer. On being questioned, he said that he had paid a license and under it he had a right to use Government street as a stand. If the police interfered with him, and he were fined by the police magistrate, an appeal would be taken to the Supreme Court—to the foot of the Throne if necessary—as the hackmen had determined to quash the by-law removing them from Government to Douglas street. The intention is to make a test case, and the ground upon which the hack owners hope to defeat the Council is similar to that taken by the saloon keepers when they quashed the Sunday closing by-law. Having procured a license when Government street was a stand, they claim that the Council cannot during the term of that license forbid them to ply for hire thereon.

DOMINION ELECTIONS.

Notwithstanding the contradictory rumors emanating from Ottawa, it may be accepted as a settled fact that the Federal election will take place either this fall or winter. The Ottawa *Citizen* "officially" denies any such intention on the part of the government, but there are not wanting other indications to the contrary. In the east both parties are organizing for the campaign with great vigor, the activity on each side of the political fence undoubtedly indicates a certainty of a conflict not being far off. In this province, as yet, but little has been done towards bringing out candidates.

COAL AND LUMBER.

Fifty-one cargoes of coal and lumber were exported from Puget Sound to foreign and coast ports during October. Thirty-six were lumber cargoes, aggregating 22,562,015 feet, and fifteen were coal. From Tacoma 16,750 tons, and from Seattle 19,146 tons were shipped to California and other points. Produce of all kinds shipped by the Queen of the Pacific and Mexico, and to Alaska by the Idaho, is valued at $350,000. The total value of all exports for the month amounts to $761,280.

FIRE TO-DAY.

A fire occurred this morning in a storeroom, occupied by Mr. Morris Moss, on Store street, which damaged the floor of the building slightly. A quantity of furs was injured by water and fire to the extent probably of $500. The fire is supposed to have originated from a chimney in the building, with which Chinamen living next door, had connected their stove. The firemen lost no time after the alarm in arriving at the place and turning on water. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

MR. HALL'S OPINION.

Mr. J. S. Hall, M.P.P. for Montreal West, and brother to Mr. T. B. Hall of the rice mills in this city, while on a visit to Ottawa last week gave it as his opinion that the Ross government will summon the legislature as soon as possible after all the election returns are in, and resign only when defeated in the House. So far from the uproar about Riel having served to defeat the Quebec Government, Mr. Hall thinks that Mr. Mercier would have secured a larger number of supporters if there had been no Riel agitation at all.

BAZAAR.

The bazaar in aid of the orphans of St. Ann's Convent will be opened to-morrow in the Theatre Comique and continue through the following day. This year's display of useful and fancy articles is a commendable one, which are to be offered for sale cheap. Young men need not be afraid of attending; the young ladies will see that their wants are properly attended to for a mere song. It's a nice place to while away an evening making love to your girl, or some other fellow's best girl. Lunch will be served each day at noon.

SHORTENING THE TIME.

It is reported on what we believe to be good authority that a scheme is now on foot whereby the Northern Pacific Railway Co. will secure control of the steamer service of O. R. & N. Co. on Puget Sound, and that it is intended to place the splendid steamers Olympian and Alaskan on the Tacoma-Victoria route. It is further reported that the time occupied in accomplishing the journey between this city and Portland will be shortened by several hours.

A COMING EVENT.

The A. O. F., under the auspices of Court Vancouver No. 5,755, will give their annual social dance in the Theatre Comique on the evening of Dec. 10th. These affairs are always a success, due to prudent and judicious management, and no pains are spared by the members of the order to make it pleasant for all those intending to be present. Tickets are for sale at $2, admitting gentleman and ladies.

FROM IRELAND.

A party of five well-to-do immigrants, Messrs. Prossor, Lewis and Lee brothers, arrived last night from Waterford Co., Wicklow, with a view of settling in British Columbia. Mr. Halpenny will take them up to Englishman's river to-morrow in search of land. They are the advance guard of others from the same section of the Emerald Isle who will seek homes in this province as soon as they possibly can.

Great Salvage Sale.

$25,000 worth of Stationery and Books must be cleared out in thirty days.

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—The collections for the benefit of James Graham, the carpenter injured by a fall amounted to $156. Mr. A. J. Smith's men contributed $37.50, and the balance was given by the outside public. The sum will be a great help to the unfortunate young man, who is, we are glad to learn, steadily recovering.

THE RAILWAY COLLISION.

Several Reported Killed and Many Injured —Trains Ditched.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 8.—A dispatch from Donald, B. C., announces a series accident on Sunday to the Canadian Pacific railroad construction train in the Selkirk range. While the train was climbing a steep grade near Roger's Pass it broke loose and parted and, the cars running back, collided with another work train behind it. Both were wrecked, and two cars containing the conductor's outfit and stock were ditched. A list of the casualties so far as it can be made up is: McRae, McDermott and Ross, foreman, killed; a workman (name unknown) and Levi Code, storekeeper for McDermott & Ross, were badly hurt, and have since died of their injuries. The injured are W. B. Earl, civil engineer; Mrs. McRae and a number of workmen whose names are unknown.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 8.—The passenger train was on the up-grade with a freight following some distance behind, when the three hind cars of the passenger train became detached and returned down grade at a tremendous speed, colliding with the freight train. The engineer of the freight train and two passengers are reported killed. Two or three are horribly mutilated, and others are more or less severely injured. The passenger train was taking the men east who had been working on the snowsheds.

LATER PARTICULARS.

A despatch to THE TIMES states that the accident occurred to construction trains moving the camps of McDermott & Ross, contractors, who had horses and plant on board. Three of the cars in one of these trains broke loose, causing the accident. A passenger train was not in the vicinity of the accident at the time. It is further stated, and correctly too, that it would be impossible for a passenger car to break loose from a train, as the crossheads or couplings and chains are so constructed that if either of them break the other keeps the car in its place. Then there is the connecting rods as well as the automatic air brakes which, in the event of a break of the connections named, are so powerful as to bring a train to a standstill almost instantly. The track was cleared of the wreck in a few hours and traffic carried on almost uninterruptedly. Passengers arriving in the city to-day from the east assert that the line throughout is in splendid condition.

QUEBEC ELECTION ECHOES.

Strange Conduct of Attorney-General Taillon and Hon. Mr. Chapleau.

A Montreal special of the 1st says: The conduct of Attorney-General Taillon in clinging to his office and drawing his salary after he has been defeated at the polls is characterized as indecent and disgraceful by respectable Conservatives as well as Liberals. Mr. Taillon should find a constituency or resign at once. Before the election he was regarded by some as an honest man, but his subsequent conduct has shown him to be merely a piece of putty in the hands of the Chapleau-Dansereau clique. *La Minerve*, Mr. Chapleau's organ, gave itself away very badly last week. It showed that it had full knowledge of the fraud that was being attempted to cheat Mr. David out of his seat and elect Mr. Taillon, by boldly asserting that Mr. David's "fanciful" majority would disappear when the recount took place. When the ballot boxes were opened it was found that a large number of Mr. David's ballots had been tampered with, and Mr. Taillon had the effrontery to ask the judge to throw out these ballots, and declare him elected for Montreal East. Mr. Chapleau was with Mr. Taillon when the astounding request was made and refused.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. W. F. Carson, travelling passenger agent for the N. P. R., is at the Driard.

Mr. W. B. Wilson, New Westminster, is at St. Joseph's Hospital, suffering from a heavy cold.

Mrs. E. Johnson, a sister of Mr. Geo. Crossman, whom she had not seen for twenty-seven years, arrived from England yesterday. She will reside in Victoria.

Mr. G. K. Fitch, of the San Francisco *Bulletin*, left this morning for the east *via* the Canadian Pacific.

Mr. Thos. McCallum came down from Big Bend on Saturday. He believes there is a splendid mining future for that district.

Mr. J. W. Morse, general passenger agent of the Union Pacific, and Mrs. Morse, who arrived on the Geo. E. Starr yesterday, went east this morning over the Canadian Pacific. Mrs. S. B. Jones, wife of the assistant general passenger agent of the U. P., accompanied them on their trip.

Dr. F. B. Ives, a well-known specialist of Chicago, came over on the Sound steamer yesterday and returned this morning.

Rev. Alex. Dunn, formerly of Langley, is a guest at the Oriental. Mrs. Dunn remained with her parents near Simcoe, Norfolk Co., Ontario, but will return to B. C. shortly.

Miss Young, of this city, who has been visiting at Tacoma, returned to-day, accompanied by her sister, Miss Hettie B. Young.

Passengers per North Pacific: J D Sutherland, J H Palmer, J McGinnis, C H Ray, C Evans, E S Peters, G W Dillon, Miss H Young, Miss Jones, Wilkes, T E Barry, Wooster, E McTeigh, Bingham, McCrarey, D Wickerson, Capt E Uttershank.

At the Driard: C E Yost and wife, A McPherson and wife, Omaha; S R Wilks, T Desmarest, San Jose; Daniel Cross, O Raymond, San Francisco; J O Bingham, R Muster, Chicago.

FOR OTTAWA.

Messrs. D. M. Eberts and E. V. Bodwell, barristers, leave for Ottawa on Thursday morning in connection with the celebrated Martley-Casson-Clarke water course case, which comes up for a hearing in the Supreme Court at the capital. Such eminent counsel as Dalton McCarthy, Q. C., and Christopher Robinson have already been retained; while it is quite probable that the Hon. S. H. Blake, Q. C., will also be engaged on the case.

FIRE! FIRE!

W. Heathorn is now prepared to execute all orders entrusted him with UTMOST DESPATCH.

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Declaration of dividend by a number of Canadian banks and financial institutions shows no change of rate. The Bank of Montreal declares five per cent. for the half year; the Merchants Bank of Canada, three and a half; the Ontario Bank, three; the Bank of Hamilton, four; the Federal Bank, three. The dividend of the Freehold Loan and Savings Co., is at the usual rate of five per cent.

The decision of the Toronto police magistrate in sending Charles Hern and Mat. Hern, uncle and nephew, for cowhiding Editor McLean, of the *World*, to jail for 10 days, without the option of a fine, has been the chief topic on the streets.

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MARINE ITEMS.

The Hope leaves Sayward's wharf for Alberni to-morrow evening at 6 o'clock.

W. Bell & Co., received last week, an extensive order from Calcutta, India, for their organs.

Dr. Schultz has offered the Hudson's Bay Railway Company a tract of land a short distance north of the C.P.R., on Main street, Winnipeg, for a station site.

The Liberals of South Brant met last Thursday to nominate candidates. The sitting members were re-nominated without opposition. Mr. Blake was present and delivered an address.

A bar of gold was brought to Halifax Monday from the Oxford mines, East Chezzetcook, weighing 80 ounces and worth $1,600. It is said to have been taken from seven tons of quartz, the result of one week's labor.

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Bass' Ale and Guinness' Stout, quarts and pints
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Dated at Victoria, this 6th day of November 1886.
S. H. HOLMES.
Witness—GEO. JAY, JR. no8

G. Byrnes, Auctioneer.

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&c., &c.

Thursday, Nov. 11, 10 a. m.,

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Plate ware.

Cruets, Pickle Stand, Cruet Decanters, Soup Tureen, Entree Dishes, Tea and Coffee Sets, Jugs, Salver, Spoons and Forks, Ivory Handled Dinner and Dessert Knives and Carvers.

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Sherry, Claret, Champagne and Beer Glasses, Decanters, Epergne, Celery Glass and Dishes, a handsome Dinner Service (cryasanthemum pattern, by Minton), also a fine gold and white Dinner Service, Soup Cups, Majolica Ware, Fruit and Cheese Sets and Jugs, large Press for jams and glassware, M. T. Sideboard.

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Two Marbletop Mahogany Bedroom Suites, fancy Chamber Sets, Mirrors, Wardrobes, Horsehair Mattresses, Feather Pillows, Blankets Linen, Carpets, Drawers, Clocks, Chairs, Curtains, Sofas, Mirrors, a handsome M. T. Walnut Bedroom Suite, Work Tables, Ornaments, Commode, etc.

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